

GRANT WRITERS AND RESOURCES

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Clients: Avoyelles Parish School System

Experience: Written and received many grants on behalf of Avoyelles Parish School System. Most notable of these grants is a multi-million dollars grant for the creation and operation of a charter school in Avoyelles Parish.

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Clients: Livingston Parish Government Grant Consultant (governmental), Christian Ministry Foundation (non-profit, faith-based)

Experience: Began writing grants in 1989 through a consulting firm based out of Alexandria, LA. Experience includes funded projects through federal, state, and private funding agencies in the areas of Federal Appropriations, Capitol Outlay projects, Brownsfield grants, EPA grants, FEMA grants, various Recreation Projects, Education Grants, HUD grants, Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention grants, Rural Development grants, Youth grants, Litter Abatement, Faith-Based Initiative grants, Safe & Drug Free Schools grants, Arts grants, and many others. Have read grants for the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. Past experience includes, Ascension Parish Government (over 2 years)

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Clients: St. Tammany Community Housing Resource Board, Greater Starlight Baptist Church, Third District Baptist Association, Dr. Theodore P. Robinson Foundation

Experience: Grant writer has written affordable housing and community development grants. Also written youth program grants including financial literacy, teen pregnancy prevention and youth smoking prevention programs.

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Clients: Kenner Police Department, Traffic Safety Grants

Experience: Awarded almost a million dollars in grants pertaining to traffic safety from various entities. Served as grant program administrator.

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Clients: City of New Iberia, Southern Mutual Help Association, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Acadiana.

Experience: Twenty years of highly successful municipal and nonprofit grant writing experience. Experience includes applications to diverse groups of government (federal/state/local), corporate, foundation, and faith-based organizations including US EPA, US Dept. of Commerce, Federal Emergency Management Agency, US Dept. of Justice, Louisiana Division of the Arts, W. K. Kellogg Foundation, etc. Project topics range from public infrastructure to youth mentoring and child abuse prevention, to presentation art. Also available for local grant writing workshops.

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Clients: Brimstone Museum, Sulphur; Sabine National Wildlife Refuge, Cameron Parish; Creole Nature Trail All- American Road, Calcasieu and Cameron Parish; Lake Charles Memorial Hospital; Sideline National Support Network

Experience: Successfully facilitated federal, state and foundation grants; has coordinated capital and endowment campaigns; and has earned nearly two dozen national awards and designations for clients through program development and management.

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Client: Several Parishes and Municipalities in Northwest Louisiana

Experience: LCDBG Grants, Economic Development Matters

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Clients: City of Baton Rouge, Louisiana Association of Nonprofit Organizations (LANO), Big Buddy Program (nonprofit), Louisiana Department of Education.

Experience: Received over \$9 million through competitive grant applications in 4 years for such diverse projects as nonprofit capacity building, after-school programs, mentoring at-risk youth, mental health in the criminal justice system, litter abatement, small business training, fire department infrastructure, animal spay & neutering program.

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Clients: City of Denham Springs, Livingston Parish Government

Experience: Council on Aging, American Red Cross, Youth and Family Counseling Services, Army Recruiting, D. S. Arts Council, Main Street Organization, D. S. Garden Club, OEP, D. S. Green

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Clients: Thensted Center, Grand Coteau, YMCA of Lafayette
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Experience: As the Coordinator for St. Charles Parish Literacy Program in 1989, I began to pursue grants as a way to fund more programs and initiatives. After re-locating to Ascension Parish, I took the position as the Parish's full-time grant writer in 1997. Following a change in the Parish administration, I accepted a position as the Business Development Coordinator for a consulting engineering firm. In this position, I marketed the company's engineering services by providing grant consultation services to municipalities, parish governments and other entities. I returned to school full-time and recently graduated from UL Lafayette with a Bachelor's in Political Science. Today, I offer grant consultation through my own company from various funding sources – federal, state, local, corporate and private. I am experienced in writing infrastructure grants as well as those that provide funding for vital social services, art and cultural endeavors and other humanitarian needs.

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Clients: Cameron Parish Police Jury, Cameron Parish Fire District #7, Louisiana State Games, Vermillion Arts Council.

Experience: National Senior Certified Grant Writer, Reviewer and Administrator, Over 6 million dollars of grant awards and over 15 years experience writing and administering grants.

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Clients: City of Rayne, City of Crowley, Village of Estherwood, Village of Morse, Town of Church Point, Acadia Parish Police Jury

Experience: Capitol Outlay request, BOR Matching Fund Grant, DOTD Enhancement Grants, Governor's Office of Rural Development, LCDBG Economic Development Grants

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Clients: Abbeville, Basile, Breaux Bridge, Broussard, Cankton, Carencro, Cheneyville, Church Point, Crowley, Delcambre, Duson, Elton, Erath, Fenton, Grand Coteau, Gueydan, Iowa, Jeanerette, Kaplan, Krotz Springs, Leonville, Loreauville, New Iberia, Maurice, Parks, Scott, Sulphur, Sunset, Welsh, Westlake, Youngsville, Iberia Parish Government, Vermilion Parish Police Jury

Experience: Has been performing professional grant writing and grant administration since 1979. Specializes in securing state and federal funding for municipalities and parish governments primarily for water, sewer, street, drainage, buildings, recreation projects etc. (Mostly all infrastructure projects). Currently administering 148 Louisiana Community Development Block Grants totaling over \$65,500,000.00

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Clients: Calcasieu Parish School Boards, Imperial Calcasieu, Cameron Communications, Calcasieu Arts and Humanities Council, United Way of Life SWLA, West Calcasieu Cameron Hospital

Experience: Twenty five years of grant writing experience. Largest award to date 427,000 from Rural Utilities Services, US Dept. of Agriculture. Has presented workshops and hands on activities to train others in grant writing.

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Clients: Town of Broussard, Scott, Carencro, Duson, Youngsville, all in Lafayette Parish and the unincorporated area of the parish as well.

Experience: Writes and administers grants. See list of clients above.

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Clients: St. Tammany Parish Government and its components, St. Tammany Parish Veterans Foundation

Experience: Two years full-time grant manager with St. Tammany Parish ; Prior experience writing tax protest for corporations.

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Clients: Hollandale School District, Hollandale, Ms.; 6th Judicial District Attorney Office

Experience: Twenty years experience and over 4 million in grant awards in the last six years.

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Clients: Lake Providence

Experience: Sewer Projects- LCDBG, Housing Projects

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OTHER GRANT RESOURCES

The Grantsmanship Center, <http://www.tgci.com/aboutTGCI/about.asp>

Foundation Center, Proposal Writing Short Course I & II: Free online resource from the Foundation Center. Discusses the standard components of proposals.
<http://fdncenter.org/learn/shortcourse/prop1.html>

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Developing And Writing Grant Proposals, www.cfda.gov

The Downing Foundation Guide for Grantseekers: Streamlined explanation of grantwriting's basic principles, from establishing objectives to documenting your case.
www.jcdowning.org/resources/generalguide.htm

Free grant writing help. <http://www.grantwriters.net>